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E.O. 11652:GDS  
TAGS: PORG, AF  
SUBJECT: NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT: DISCUSSION WITH AFGHANI  
DIPLOMAT

1. IN BRIEF DISCUSSION WITH MISOFF (GRAHAM) MARCH 13 ON  
NON-ALIGNED AFFAIRS, AFGHANI MISOFF (AZIZ) SAID THAT HIS  
GOVERNMENT WAS BOTHERED BY WHAT IT SAW AS AN INCREASINGLY  
LEFTWARD DRIFT IN THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT (NAM). AZIZ  
TALKED OF THIS CONCERN, HOWEVER, NOT SO MUCH IN TERMS OF  
SPECIFIC STATES LIKE CUBA, AS IN TERMS OF THE NAM'S LOSS  
OF AN ORIGINAL PHILOSOPHY OF NON-ALIGNMENT WHICH HAD  
SERVED IT WELL.

2. AZIZ URGED THE US NOT TO REACT TO CRITICISMS OF US  
POLICY BY NAM STATES AS IDEOLOGICAL ANTI-AMERICANISMS.  
RATHER, THEY REPRESENTED RESPONSIBLE, SPECIFIC POLICY  
DIFFERENCES AND SHOULD BE VIEWED AS SUCH IN THE OVERALL  
CONTEXT OF NORTH-SOUTH RELATIONS.

3. AZIZ SHOWED NEITHER SURPRISE NOR CONCERN AT THE NEWS  
THAT US PLANNED TO SEND TDY OFFICER TO KABUL TO ASSIST  
IN COVERING NAM CONFERENCE THERE. IN FACT, HE HAS SINCE  
SENT OVER PACKETS OF TOUREST MATERIAL AND OFFERED TO  
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